

CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication: Distant (Queen Margaret College)

Other known title(s): Distant

OFLC ref: 1700206.000

Medium: Film (online)

Distributor: Capital E and Miramar Events Trust

Director: Phoebe Telfar

Producer: Not stated

Country of origin: New Zealand

Language: English, English

Applicant: Capital E and Miramar Events Trust

Classification:	Unrestricted: Parental guidance recommended for younger viewers.
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Excisions: No excisions recommended

Descriptive note: Contains adult themes.

Display conditions: None

Date of entry in Register: 04 May 2017

Date of direction to issue a label: 04 May 2017

Date of notice of decision: 04 May 2017

	Components	Running time
Timed component(s):	Distant	4:33
Total running time:		4:33

Summary of reasons for decision:

The short film is one of a compilation made for the Roxy5 Short Film Competition 2017 by school students. Parental guidance may be needed for very young viewers given the content involving underage drinking. The unrestricted classification does not impinge on the right to freedom of expression enshrined within the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990.